

504 At a court held for the county Southampton the 21st day of
December 1801, This Indenture was proved by the oaths
of John Davis John Cotton and William Wren three
of the Justices thereof and ordered to be recorded —

Sam^l Kelloe

Indenture made this Sixteenth day of June in the
year of our Lord, one Thousand eight hundred and one
Between Harris Nicholson of the County of Sussex & State
of Virginia Executor of the last will & testament of Charles
Nicholson deceased of the one part, & Chasman Nicholson of
the County Southampton & State aforesaid of the other part
Witnesseth that the said Harris Nicholson for and in
consideration of the sum of Five hundred pounds current
Money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Chasman
Nicholson, the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknow-
ledge, he the said Harris Nicholson ^{hath} granted, bargained
sold, aliened, infeoffed and confirmed, and by these presents
doth grant bargain, alien and confirm unto the said
Chasman Nicholson, his heirs and assigns forever, one
Certain tract or parcel of land, situate, lying and being
in the County of Southampton, & State of Virginia on the
South side of Mattoway River and north side of the Three
Creeks containing by estimation Four hundred Acres the
said tract or parcel of land being originally two adjacent
tracts, the one formerly belonging to Joshua Fort and the
other to Arthur Fort etc. these two tracts United
being bounded as follows, beginning at Dogwood sapling
a corner tree of Moses Fosters line thence along said
Fosters line in all its various courses to the main run
of the Three Creeks, thence down the main run of the
Creek in all its various courses and windings to the
Bridge where the road crosses the Creek, thence a
straight line to the beginning, and also all the reversions
and reversings, remainder & remainders in reversion &
services of the said land and Premises & every part thereof